



PATENT APPLICATION  
DOCKET NO. 5090-0001

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL:  
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the  
United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed  
to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-  
1450.

on . . June 14, 2004. .by Michael L. Diaz . . . . .

*Michael L. Diaz*  
Signature

In re patent application of:

Billy W. McElheney

§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§

Serial No.: 10/807,787

Group Art Unit: 3637

Filed: March 24, 2004

Examiner: Unknown

For: RETAINING MECHANISM FOR A PROTECTIVE SHIELD OF A MONITOR

Mail Stop Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application is:

1. A Preliminary Amendment;
2. A Drawing Change Authorization Request;
3. One replacement drawing sheets;
4. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;

PATENT APPLICATION  
DOCKET NO. 5090-0001

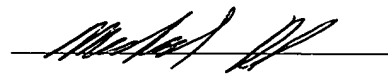
5. A postcard for date of receipt stamping.
6. No additional fee is required.

The fee for additional claims presented in this amendment has been calculated as follows:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
				RATE	ADIT FEE		RATE	ADIT FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS INDEP. CLAIMS	20	- 20 = (at least 20)	0	x 9 =	\$ 0	OR	x 18 =	
	3	- 3 = (at least 3)	0	x 43 =	\$ 0	OR	x 86 =	
EACH ADDITIONAL MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+145 =	\$ 0	OR	+290 =	
Total fee for added claims					\$0.00			

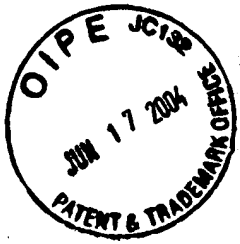
Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6-14-04



Michael L. Diaz  
Reg. No. 40,588

Michael L. Diaz, P.C.  
555 Republic Drive, Suite 200  
Plano, Texas 75074  
(972) 578-5669



PATENT APPLICATION  
DOCKET NO. 5090-0001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL:  
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the  
United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed  
to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-  
1450.

on June 14, 2004 by Michael L. Diaz

Signature

In re patent application of:

Billy W. McElheney

§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§

Serial No.: 10/807,787

Group Art Unit: 3637

Filed: March 24, 2004

Examiner: Unknown

For: RETAINING MECHANISM FOR A PROTECTIVE SHIELD OF A MONITOR

Mail Stop Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**DRAWING CHANGE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST**

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner approve drawing replacements for FIG. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

6-14-04

Michael L. Diaz  
Reg. No. 40,588

Michael L. Diaz, P.C.  
555 Republic Drive, Suite 200  
Plano, Texas 75074  
(972) 578-5669